Application No. 10/749,268
Amendment dated June 2, 2005
Reply to Office Action of March 2, 2005

REMARKS

This paper is responsive to the Office Action dated 02 March 2005. Applicants disagree with all the objections, rejections, and assertions presented in the 02 March 2005 Office Action. Applicants assert that the pending claims are allowable and respectfully requests reconsideration and withdrawal of all the pending objections and rejections.

Applicants thank the Examiner for indicating the allowability of claims 2-7, 11-15, 17 and 19-20 if rewritten in independent form. Claims 1, 10, 16, and 18 are amended to further clarify the claims. Claims 2, 13, and 17 have been canceled without prejudice. The pending claims are fully supported by the specification and Figures and add no new matter to the application.

Rejections Based on §102(e)

Claims 1, 8-10, 16 and 18 were rejected by the Examiner as being anticipated by Rhodes et al., (US6,509,732). Applicants disagree, however Applicants have amended the claims to further clarify the claims.

Claim 1 has been amended to include the limitations of allowable claim 2. Claim 10 has been amended to include the limitations of allowable claim 13. Claim 16 has been amended to include the limitations of allowable claim 17. Claim 18 has been amended (similar to claim 17) to include the limitation that the radiating means moves along a defined non-linear path. In view the above, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and withdrawal of these claim rejections.

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CONCLUSION

In view of the above, Applicants submit that the pending claims are in condition for allowance. Reconsideration is very respectfully requested and a Notice of Allowance is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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